## **Broad Street Vacation**

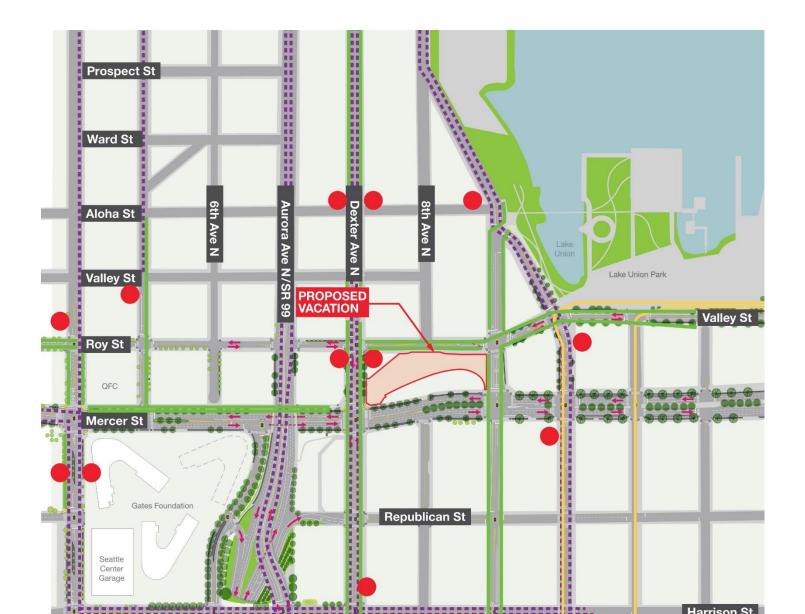
### Public Benefit Discussion



SLU Community Council Eric Tweit June 7



### **Transportation network**



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Open space connections

Eighth Ave North

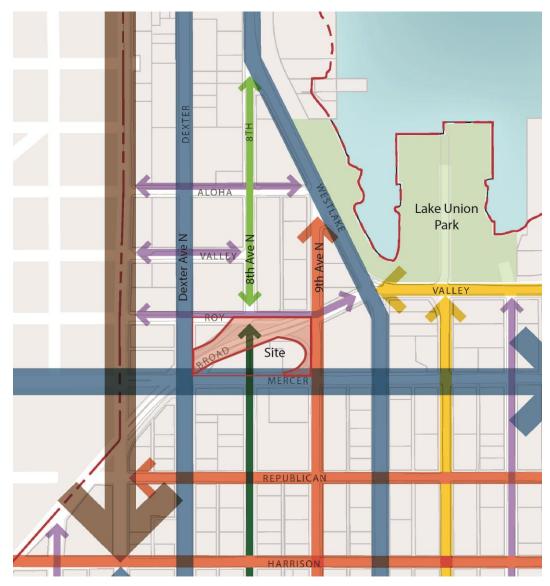
Anchor for Green Street

### Roy and Aloha Street

Connect to Lake Union Park

### Ninth Ave North

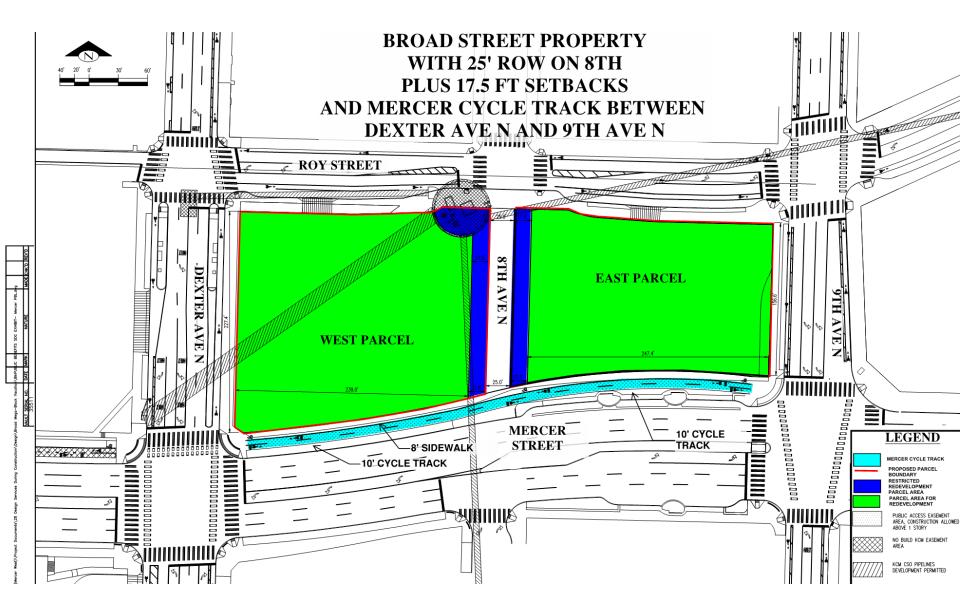
Bicycle connection to Westlake cycle track



### Street concept plan project area



### **Broad Street Property**



## **Public Benefits**

	Description	Implementation
Eighth Ave N Through the site (Mercer-Roy)	<ul> <li>Pedestrian-only right-of-way (40')</li> <li>Easement on each side (17.5')</li> <li>Improvements consistent with South Lake Union Street Concept Plans</li> <li>Maintained by adjacent property</li> </ul>	Improvements to be completed by developer with development of the site.
Eighth Ave N (Roy-Aloha)	<ul> <li>Pedestrian and streetscape improvement plan</li> </ul>	SDOT and other development on 8 <sup>th</sup> N
Mercer Street (Dexter N – Ninth N)	• Protected bike lanes on north side of Mercer	Improvements to be completed by developer with development of the site.
Ninth Ave N (Mercer – Westlake/Aloha)	<ul> <li>Buffer between bike lanes and traffic (Mercer-Roy)</li> <li>Protected bike lanes (Roy- Westlake/Aloha)</li> </ul>	SDOT to implement independent of development of the site.
Ninth Ave N (Mercer – Roy)	• Easement for potential/future SB right-turn lane to Mercer St	Easement assigned to the Broad Street Property. SDOT to implement any future street improvements.
Transit hub on Aurora Ave N between Thomas and Harrison	• Develop and implement a plan to realize the community vision for a new transit hub	SDOT to lead through the Center City Mobility Plan

# 9<sup>th</sup> Ave N Mobility Improvements

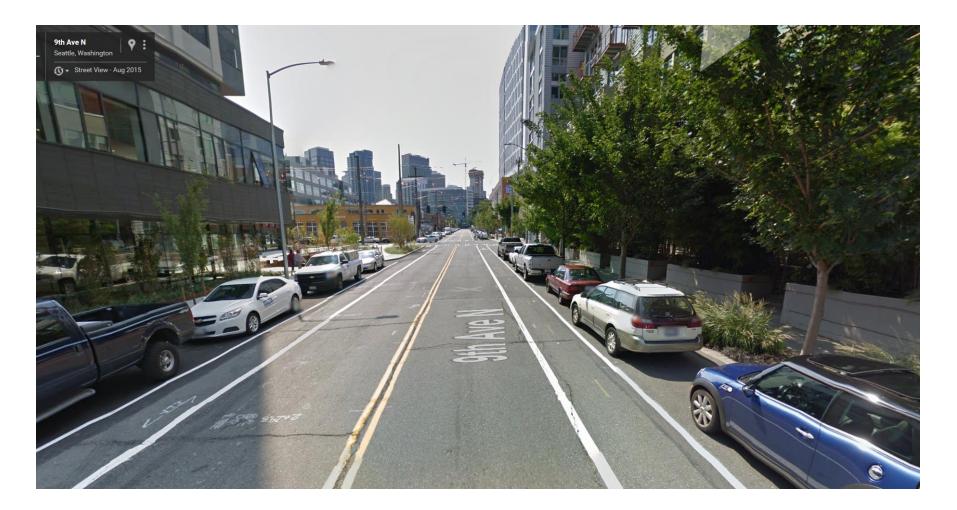


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SLU Community Council Jason Fialkoff and Dawn Schellenberg June 2016



### **Existing street layout**



Parking Lane / Bike lane / Travel Lane / Travel Lane / Bike Lane / Parking Lane

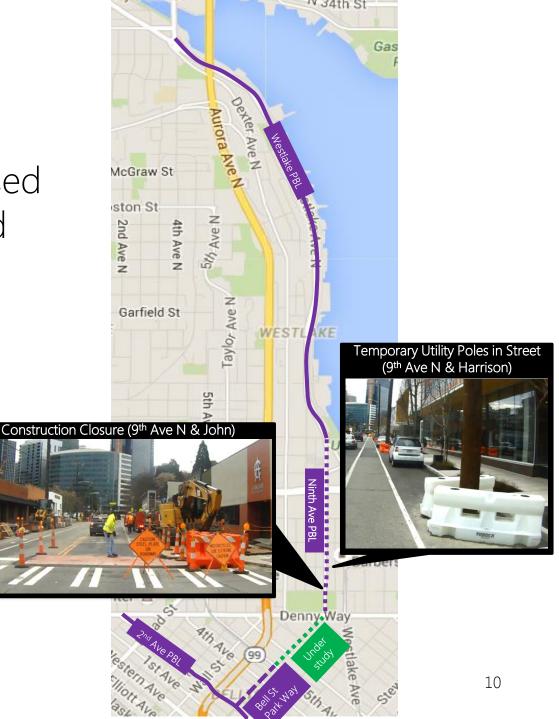
# Proposed upgrade

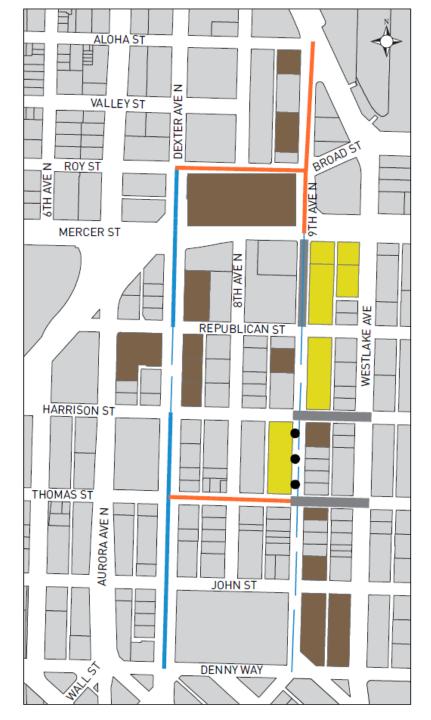


5'3' 10' 10' 8' 3'5'

# Constraints

Initial plan: 3-year phased installation of protected bike lane (PBL)





### 9TH AVE N PROTECTED BICYCLE LANE IMPLEMENTATION - PHASE 1

PHASE 1 - 2016		
Street	Limits	Implementation
9th Ave N	Westlake to Mercer	PBLs
Roy St	9th to Dexter	PBLs
Dexter Ave N	Roy to Republican	PBLs
	Republican to Harrison	Construction
	Harrison to Denny	Existing PBLs
Thomas St	9th to Dexter	Shared Street

LEGEND

#### Phasing

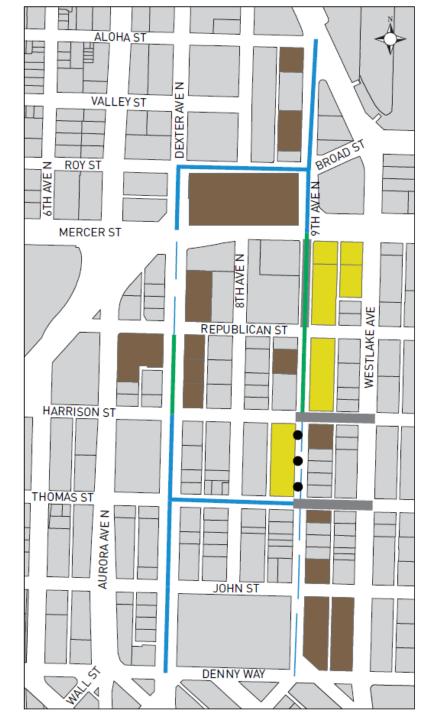
Existing

Phase 1 - 3Q16

Existing Bicycle Lanes

#### Development

- Upcoming Development Recently Completed Denny Substation
- Utility Poles in Road



### 9TH AVE N PROTECTED BICYCLE LANE IMPLEMENTATION - PHASE 2

PHASE 2 - 2017		
Street	Limits	Implementation
9th Ave N	Mercer to Harrison	PBLs
Dexter Ave N	Mercer to Republican	Construction
	Republican to Harrison	PBLs

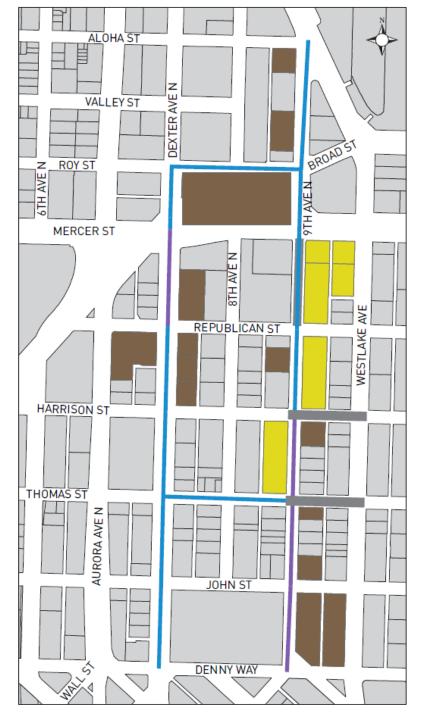
LEGEND

#### Phasing

- Existing
- Phase 2 2017
- Existing Bicycle Lanes

#### Development

- Upcoming Development
- Recently Completed
- Denny Substation
- Utility Poles in Road



### 9TH AVE N PROTECTED BICYCLE LANE IMPLEMENTATION - PHASE 3

PHASE 3 - 2018			
Street	Limits	Implementation	
9th Ave N	Harrison to Denny	PBLs	
Dexter Ave N	Mercer to Republican	Reinstall PBLs	

LEGEND Phasing Existing PBLs Phase 3 - 2018

#### Development

Upcoming Development Recently Completed Denny Substation

# Opportunities

- Desirable due to low volume of vehicles and flat
- Support thriving urban street
- Connect Fremont and Belltown/Downtown to SLU
- Brand 9<sup>th</sup> Ave N as biking street; Westlake Ave as transit street and Terry Ave as pedestrian/green street
- Add to the flexible transportation system being created in SLU

### Proposed outreach plan

**Phase I:** SLU Chamber, SLU Community Council, Commute Seattle, UW School of Medicine, Vulcan, Seattle Parks and Recreation, PATH, Saturday Market

**Phase II:** Ground retail/businesses/property managers—mailer, door to door/short survey

Phase III: One on one discussions to address any access issues

# Schedule

Date	Task
June	Phase I Outreach
July	Phase II & III Outreach
August	Final design
Fall	Construction

## Questions?

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